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For: POLYPEPTIDES CAPABLE OF FORMING ANTIGEN BINDING STRUCTURES

WITH SPECIFICITY FOR THE RHESUS D

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated 11 September 2001, requesting an election of claims in the above-referenced patent application, Applicants hereby cancel claims 1-21 without prejudice or disclaimer and add new claims 22-44 as follows:

In the Claims:

Please cancel claims 1-21 without prejudice or disclaimer and add new claims 22-44 as follows:

(New) A purified polypeptide capable of forming antigen binding structures with specificity for Rhesus D antigens comprising a $V_{\rm H}$ region having SEQ ID NO:58 or a functional variant 57 08/09/2002 GDUCKETT 00000002 061358 09147443

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23. (New) The polypeptide of claim 22, wherein the V_L region 36.00 CH is SEQ ID NO:4, SEQ ID NO:8, SEQ ID NO:12, SEQ ID NO:20, SEQ ID